

Gymkana Will Feature Demonstration by MRTB And Women's War Program

COMMITTEE SELECTED
Under Auspices of Students Executive Council

M.R.T.B. BAND WILL PLAY
Display Open to General Public as Well as Students

The Committee for the Gymkana has announced that on the evenings of March 21st and 22nd men and women students of McGill will present a demonstration of their activities under their respective War training programs. These demonstrations will take place in the Sir Arthur Currie Memorial Gymnasium-Armoury, and are under the auspices of the Students Executive Council with the co-operation of the M.R.T.B. and the Men and Women's Department of Physical Education and the Students Athletic Council.

Included in the Exhibition will be musketry, bayonet fighting, guard mounting and rifle drill and in addition a display of Men's and Women's Physical training (accompanied by the M.R.T.B. Band).

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RVC Basement Is Used As 'Raid Shelter'

Resident Students Practice Tonight During Blackout

Tonight R.V.C. will have a brief air-raid—the fire alarm will ring some time before the War Service Lecture, and the resident students will go to the "shelter" in the basement. "Non-resident students are asked to remain in the common room," announced the Blackout Committee, which is in charge of the "air raid." "The girls who live in the old building must go to the basement corridor in the old building—outside the lower gym, and everyone who has a room in the new building will go to the basement corridor in the new building, under the switchboard."

The blackout committee will act as Wardens, turning out lights and closing windows while everyone else is safely in the shelter. One student on each floor will be appointed to check on the numbers. To facilitate this, all students living on the same floor must stand together in the shelter until the numbers have been checked.

Inspector Barnes of the CPC gave several rules to be observed while remaining in the (Continued on Page Four)

Around the Globe

Vichy, March 10: French Government threatens to use navy to protect ships carrying food to France.

Belgrade: Germany reported to be pressing Yugoslavia for complete submission to Axis terms. . . Germany assembling submarine fleet in Black Sea. . . Greece stands firm in spite of Axis threats.

London: Fast Italian cruiser, sister ship of the "Bartolomeo Colleoni," torpedoed in Mediterranean by British sub. . . R.A.F. carries out three sweeps of English Channel, following this with heavy attack on Boulogne.

Washington: Lord Halifax states that Britain will not relax blockade even in view of French threats. . . Also indicates that warship trade between Britain and United States is very unlikely. . . Senate ratifies formally destroyer-base deal and votes \$58,250,000 toward completion of establishments on British soil.

Ottawa: Munitions Minister C. D. Howe reveals that experienced ship-builders are on their way to Canada to aid in building destroyers, and that every ship-yard in Canada has been offered capacity work. . . More than 30,000 Canadians are now training in trade courses to aid the war production.

Montreal: Recruiting sets record for 1941 as approximately 200 sign for active service in one day. . . The Federation of French Charities announces that \$58,334 collected in first day of drive for \$441,500.

Athletic Candidates

GEORGE CLARKE

LAW 2.

In presenting my program for Student Representative to the Athletic Board, I fully realize the importance of the position for which I am running. If I am elected I will do my best to bring about a closer relationship between the Student Athletic activities and the Board.

It is impossible to make any definite promises especially in wartime. If elected I will endeavour to maintain and increase the student control of athletics. My aim will be to make possible 100 per cent participation of all male students in athletics.

This year with the new gymnasium in operation, there has been a greater participation than heretofore on the part of the students at large in the various indoor sports. I will endeavour to enlarge on the number of those taking part, by the holding of various intramural competitions in the early part of the college year, so that greater interest may be aroused in the early part of the session. I will endeavour

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M. PATRICIA NEILSON

ARTS 3.

I should like to take the opportunity now of thanking all those who nominated me to the position of President of the McGill Women Students' Athletic Association, and to say also that if I am elected I will do my utmost to carry on the duties incumbent on me.

Intersection Sports.

The most important function of the M.W.S.A.A. next year will be the intersection sports. As yet, however, next year's war training plans are unknown, and it is not certain what type of sports program will be carried on. In any event it is up to the M.W.S.A.A. to fulfill its part of the War Service Program. If there is an intersection sports program similar to that carried out this year, I believe that it should get started as early as possible in the fall.

To keep interest aroused I think that tournaments and matches for all sports should take as little time as possible, and that the same sort of tournaments should be played. It would be to the advantage of the M.W.S.A.A. to promote more outside competition—both telegraphic and with city teams.

Swimming was a new sport at college this year, and should take the fore next year in intersection sports. It would be advantageous to hold an intersection meet early in the fall while people are still in practice after their summer holidays.

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MACCABEANS PLAN FOR FINAL BANQUET

Closing Banquet to Take Place on Sunday, March 23rd

The closing event of this year for the Maccabean Circle is the banquet to be held on Sunday, March 23rd, at the Adah Israel Community Hall, in Outremont.

The guest speaker at the banquet is to be Mr. Abraham M. Klein, of Montreal, the former editor of the first edition of the "McGillian," now known as "Old McGill." Mr. Klein is a well-known poet, and author of "Hath Not A Jew," which was recently reviewed in the "Daily." Contributions of his have appeared in the "Dalhousie View," "Poetry Magazine," and "The American Caravan."

At this banquet, which is the first to be held in four years, will be presented and popular songs sung. "Both the entertainment and decoration committees are working overtime," stated a member of the executive last night, "in order to make this banquet a fitting end to this most successful year." The installation of next year's executive will also take place at this time.

Tickets for this year's final meeting of the Circle may be bought from any of the members of the executive for 85c.

Next Monday, March 17th, at 5.00 p.m. the last business meeting of the Circle will take place in the Union Ballroom, when the officers for next year will be nominated and elected.

HORACE B. GRAVES

MEDICINE

In accepting nomination for the position of Students' Representative to the Athletic Board, I wish to thank my nominators for the confidence they have placed in me, and to assure them and any others who should support me that I will do my utmost to fulfill the responsibilities of this office adequately.

I refrain from offering a platform. The majority of students are acquainted with the reorganization of athletics which has taken place at McGill this year, and will agree with me that, due to the present situation over which we have no control, new problems may arise next year which may require another reorganization.

Of one problem I am firmly convinced, and about which during the last three years I have been adamant. Nothing on this earth will change my opinion that the students should have control of their own athletics up to a certain point, and while I may waver on other questions, on this one, never!

I offer to the students my close

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M. ELSPEETH RUSSELL

ARTS 3.

I wish to extend my gratitude to those who saw fit to nominate me to the Presidency of the M.W.S.A.A. My one promise, if I am elected, is to serve the student body as fairly and conscientiously as I can.

In my capacity this year as Treasurer of the M.W.S.A.A. I have had the opportunity of close connection with the executive and of the various sports and I feel that the coming session will see me all the more qualified to guide the policy of the Association.

Before the military reorganization much of my time was spent with those most active in co-ed sports. Having played on the Hockey, Basketball and Badminton teams, I feel that I have sufficient background to help in the readjustment that must follow such a radical change.

Quality Above Quantity.

I am convinced that as long as a large proportion of time spent in athletics must be devoted to military training, we should not strive too much to maintain the usual number of sports, sacrificing on the time spent on each, as this evidently is to the disadvantage of all of them.

This past year, an attempt was made to encourage as many sports as possible, and I feel that those that drew only a few people should be dropped for the time being and the opportunity extended to the

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COMMERCE DINNER WILL BE TONIGHT

Brooke Claxton to Be Guest Speaker at Annual Event

The final banquet of the Commerce undergraduates, in honour of the graduating class, will be held tonight at 7.00 p.m. in the Venetian Room of the Queen's Hotel. Mr. Brooke Claxton, K.C., M.P. will be the guest speaker. A turkey dinner will be served and music will be supplied. After the banquet the following newly elected officers of the Commerce Undergraduate Society will be presented: Dick Stevenson, president; John Reckitt, vice-president (acclamation); Earle Smith, Secretary; Jean Carier, Treasurer.

The following candidates for the position of Commerce representatives to the Student's Council will also have an opportunity to speak: Albert Briggs, Kenneth L. Smith, Richard Stevenson. Any further information regarding the affair may be obtained from the class officers.

Tom Dailey, president of the Commerce Undergraduate Society has announced that great interest has been shown in the affair and that it promises to be a success since a large number of tickets have already been sold. He also emphasized that those who have not already bought tickets and intend to attend the banquet, should do so at their earliest opportunity. Tickets may be obtained at the price of \$1 from the class officers.

ROSS RITCHIE

ENGINEERING 2.

As nominee to the post of Student Representative on the Athletics Board, my platform is short and to the point—a return of Intercollegiate Sport.

I might add that the Intra-mural (Inter-company) sports as now organized should be continued next year as they offer exercise and enjoyment to the whole student body.

Activities.
1940, Freshman Hockey.
1941, Senior Hockey.

POST-WAR ERA IS CONSIDERED

Dr. Jackson Emphasizes Consideration of Trade Problems

Next in Series of Three Will Be Given Tomorrow

Dr. Jackson delivered his first lecture in a series of three entitled "Post War Rebuilding of Western Europe," last night in Moyses Hall. This address dealt with "The Prospects for Canadian Goods in European Markets After the War."

Dr. Jackson was last year director of the School of Commerce and has been with the Bank of England. He was Professor of Economics in the University of Toronto and has served with the British Armies in Arabia and India.

"It may be that these are early days," Dr. Jackson stated, "to consider conditions after the war but it is because of this that these are important days." He continued by stating that at the end of the last war everyone thought "We will all live happily ever after" but the

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UNDERGRAD SOCIETY WANTS NOMINATIONS

The Arts and Science Undergraduate Society is calling for nominations for the next year's executive. Every candidate must be a bona fide member of the Society.

The qualifications for the positions are to be noted before nominations are made: the president must be in 3rd year; the vice-president in 2nd year; the Treasurer in 3rd year and the secretary in 1st year. Nominations must be signed by 10 students and must be in the hands of Bill Gentlemen not later than March 13th. The election will be held on Thursday, March 20th.

Greek Aid Campaign Ends with "Hellenic Informal" This Friday

By J. P.

cream of the crop of R.V.C. has been picked to round up the student herd as it marches to school, for canvassing purposes. Said cream includes Margie Baty, Phyllis Brown, Elizabeth Bulley, Angela Burke, Jean Currie, Jacqueline and Minnie Fogt, Dorothy Murray, and Judy Jaffe.

In days like these, when Greece seems to be in the vortex of a military tornado, the need for medical supplies is evident and most urgent. Greece, it must be remembered, is the one country in the Balkans that has stood firm by Britain's side. As a matter of fact, she is the only integral ally of the British Empire. Our obligation to assist her cannot be overestimated.

An Evzone is the unit of the crack troops of Greece, garbed in the familiar kilt fashion. And if anyone deserves credit for what has been happening to Benito's forces in Albania, he is the Evzone.

Contributions are being accepted right now. Checks are to be made payable to the McGill Greek Medical Relief Fund, and mailed or delivered to Room 907, Castle Building, 1410 Stanley Street, City. The smallest contributions will be of use to some wounded hero.

With only three days to go for the Hellenic Informal, which is to be held in the Union Ballroom on Friday night, tickets are being rapidly sold. stated a member of the committee. The main attraction of the informal is Andre Durieux, who is to furnish the music. Andre Durieux needs no introduction to frequenters of the Blue Room of the Domaine d'Esther, both in the summer and winter seasons. Over the air he is well known to the listeners of the Aspirin Program and Sur Les Boulevards. His music is noted for the variety of his choice, and so the poster which promised that the orchestra would play "anything from the waltzes of Vienna to the congas of Cuba" was no exaggeration.

Friday, as advertised, is Greek Day at McGill. The proceeds of the above-mentioned informal, as well as those of the canvassing which is to be carried out on the campus that day, are to go towards the Wounded Evzones Fund, a drive to raise funds for the medical relief of Greece. Blue and white ribbons, to be distributed to all students free of charge, will set a truly Hellenic spirit on the campus. The

200 STUDENTS HEAR NOMINEES ON PLATFORMS

Scholarships, Co-op Book Store, Debated at Meeting

LIMIT DISCUSSION

Cowan, Gould, Graham, Henderson Answer Questions Before Students' Society

The four candidates for presidency of the Students' Executive Council yesterday presented and clarified certain points of their platforms before a gathering of 200 members of the Students' Society in the Union Ballroom.

Two questions relating to the candidates' platforms were brought up and discussed at the meeting: that of a proposed extension of scholarships and the suggested establishment of a co-operative book store.

Gordon Young, president of the Students' Executive Council, called the meeting to order and read the purpose of the meeting as set forth in the petition. After motions limiting the speakers' time to five minutes, and holding discussion to subjects under the jurisdiction of the Council, the first speaker was called upon.

Candidates Speak.

Lloyd Henderson being absent, Glen Cowan spoke first, putting himself on record as favoring such meetings as the present one as a precedent to be followed in future. He then went on to restate his views on the university war effort, saying in this connection that he believes the Board of Governors would be glad to hear the opinions of the students on this subject as long as the points brought up were within the jurisdiction of the council.

Graham Gould, the next candidate called upon to speak, clarified his policy of making no election promises, stating that he felt that the President of the Council was in no position to carry out such promises, it being his sole function to supervise the proceedings of the Council. He further deplored what he termed "talk of factions at McGill," saying that during his years at McGill he had encountered no factions on the campus.

James K. Graham declined to detail his platform, as he felt it had already been sufficiently set forth in the Daily, but declared that he was willing to answer any questions that the Society might wish to present to him.

The meeting was then opened to discussion, and the matter of

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CAMSI Holds Fourth Annual Meeting Here; Dr. Meakins To Speak

PLAYERS' CLUB MEETS TODAY

Executive for the Coming Year to Be Elected

To Give Return Performance of Previous Smash Hit 'Good Morning Bill'

A general meeting of the Player's Club is called for 5 o'clock today in the Music Room of the Union. The Executive for the coming year is to be elected, the positions to be filled to be those of President, two Vice-Presidents, Secretary and Treasurer.

The President of the Club, Robert K. Thomson, will address the meeting concerning the forthcoming return presentation of the smash hit "Good Morning Bill," which was produced last month. During that presentation there was a record first night audience, and the last two nights there was not an empty seat in Moyses Hall.

The Earl Baldwin Savage Chapter of the I.O.D.E. asked the Players' Club to put on a repeat performance, and, since many of the McGill students themselves have requested it, "Good Morning Bill" will be presented in Kildonan Hall next Monday, March 17th, at 8.30. Tickets at \$1.10 and \$0.75 may be obtained either from Mrs. A. Thirlaway, 2151 Lincoln Avenue (Tel. WI 8719), or Jean Thirlaway who plays the leading role of Doctor Sally Smith in the play.

Others in the play include David Ashdown as the hero Bill Paraden; Anne Clark as the designing siren Lottie Burke; Leonard Griffith as Bill's uncle, who, trying to save his nephew from the scheming Lottie, gets the plot into such a situation as only the inimitable P. G. Wodehouse can concoct. John Villiers appears as the assassin Lord Tidmouth, and Ian and Mary MacCrimmon play the page-boy and the maid respectfully.

Finals Announced of Arts Debates

Seniors Defeat Juniors; No Decision Reached for Freshmen and Sophs

In the final Arts Debates, which were held yesterday afternoon, MacDonald and Farmer, representing Third Year, bowed to the Fourth Year team, Stalker and Hollinger. In the debate between the first and second years, Ted Hugessen spoke for First Year against M. Weiner and Horlick of Second. No decision was reached but Hugessen was declared the best speaker of the trio.

The topic under discussion was "Resolved that the Canadian Government should assume full control of essential industries for the duration of the war."

Professor Blaire, of the Presbyterian College, rendered the decision that declared that Hugessen and Hollinger were, respectively, first and second in debating proficiency.

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Awards will be presented at the banquet, and skits from each sport-group will be performed in the red-and-white decorated Grill Room.

Around the Campus

Today: Commerce Undergraduate Society Banquet to be held in Queens Hotel at 7.30. Mr. Brooke Claxton will be guest speaker. . . M.W.S.A.A. will meet in R.V.C. Common Room at 4.00 p.m.

Tomorrow: The Philosophical Society will gather in Strathcona Hall at 8.15 p.m. . . Elections to major campus posts take place. . . M.W.S.A.A. Banquet will be held at 6.30 in the McGill Union. . . Mr. Gilbert Jackson, in second lecture of series to be held at 8.30 in Moyses Hall, will consider costs and prices in Canada.

Thursday: Debating Union Elections take place. . . Daily Banquet to be held at 6.30 in the McGill Union Cafeteria.

Friday: Fourth annual convention of the Canadian Association of Medical Students and Interns will be held in the Medical Building. . . Hellenic Informal will be held in the Union Ballroom. . . Mr. Gilbert Jackson, in concluding lecture series, will summarize discussion and analyze the post-war outlook for Canada.

Coming: A meeting of the Women's Union will be held Tuesday, March 18th.

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Athletics Representatives

On Wednesday there will take place the election of a student to one of the most responsible positions on the Campus, the Athletics Board. The student representative to the Athletics Board is elected by the male members of the Students' Society. He represents the students at all meetings of the Advisory Athletics Board, and is automatically a member of the Students' Athletics Council.

The majority of students fail to realize the importance of this office, in that it is the least publicized position on the Campus. The representative sits in on all meetings pertaining to Athletics on the Campus, at which meetings are discussed the conduct of the Athletic Program, the status and participation of the individual student in that program.

The platforms of the men nominated appear in the Daily today. Students are asked to read these platforms carefully, so that on Wednesday when they go to the polls they will be able to cast their vote for the one who they think will be best suited for the position and who will be able to represent them in the best manner possible.

Are We Bilingual?

There are many students at McGill who have been taking French for as many as ten years (in public school, high school, and now college) and who are still unable to converse with fluency and confidence. They do not find it a difficult task to take up a French text and read it in an intelligent manner; they can listen to a French announcer on the radio and comprehend the substance of what he is saying; and they may even, with some success, be able to listen in on the conversation of several French people. The fact remains, however, that even though students can do these things, for the most part they find that they cannot carry on a conversation themselves.

What, then, is the reason for this?—especially since a prominent teacher of this language has often made the assertion that it is an easier matter to speak the language than to understand it while it is being spoken. The reason probably is that too little stress has been placed upon oral French under most of the teaching systems. This has brought about two unfortunate consequences. The first is that the student has not grasped the necessary familiarity and ease with the language, especially that of putting his thoughts into proper French sentence form at the rapid rate necessary to make it sound natural. The second is that the student does not receive the practice in class that is so essential if he is to overcome the shyness and embarrassment that so many feel when attempting to address anyone in an unfamiliar language.

There are ways of overcoming this handicap, but unfortunately they are not open to all. These means include living for a time amongst French-speaking people, taking private tutoring lessons and so on, but it will be noticed that no method is available at the place where fluency in oral French should be available—at the school or university.

Some suggestions have been put for-

ward as remedies for this situation such as the idea that in some courses, such as the first year French courses, the study of the history of France and of French Literature be dropped for a couple of months while the class devotes itself exclusively to oral work, gaining practice and fluency in speaking under the instruction of experts such as we have at the university and making a specialized study of the vocabulary most commonly used in everyday speech.

It would be interesting to see some of these suggestions put into practice to find out whether they really are practical. Anything of such importance and value is surely worth a trial.



LET THERE BE SCULPTURE by Jacob Epstein; Putnam, 1940; pp. 393; \$6.00. Jacob Epstein, the storm centre of some of the most bitter controversies of modern sculpture, has written his autobiography. And it is the portrait, not of the man, but of the sculptor, a documentary presentation of the evidence and a background of meaning for his work. So that, often as Mr. Epstein has been assailed before regarding his sculpture, he again opens himself to attack.

Of Polish-Jewish parentage, born on the "leaving East Side" of New York, the young boy showed an early talent for drawing and an appreciation of the wealth of material offered by the countless human types around him. After an "apprenticeship" in Paris, Epstein decided on London as his headquarters, and was soon involved in the Strand controversy, the first of a series of struggles which were to be the milestones of the sculptor's life. This case concerned the decoration of the British Medical Association Building, for which Mr. Epstein designed a number of symbolic human figures. As ever, the author must be given credit for leaving the documents themselves to convince us of side of the case, but we can hardly disagree with one editorial, which criticized not the work but its unsuitability for a public building, exposed to the gaze of those who would not grasp its symbolism, but would make it the butt of mockery. This point, so extraordinary to Mr. Epstein, perhaps explains much of the bitter opposition to his work. Convinced, as he seems to be, that the appeal of art is not universal, and although it is demonstrated time and time again that this particular talent is not suited to the enjoyment and satisfaction of the busy passer-by he continues to follow the extremes of his creative inclination for public carvings and to be amazed at their hostile reception. Memorials to W. H. Hudson and Oscar Wilde struggled on the same stormy paths, while "Night" and "Day," two groups decorating the Underground Headquarters Building, remained only in the face of bitter protest.

But Mr. Epstein's creative work, which manifests itself in these decorations and in immensities of carving, such as Adam, Genesis, Behold The Man, is only one aspect of his art. Ranging from flower paintings to the grotesque illustrations for Baudelaire's "Les Fleurs du Mal," and from child portraits to large bronzes, the recorded progress of his work forms the theme of the book, told in a readable, though not highly literary style, and well-illustrated with many photographs of the pieces.

The chapter on his portraits is particularly interesting, for he has a keen appreciation of personality, and both in the illustrations and the accompanying remarks about the sitters, we get entertaining sidelights on several well-known characters—Conrad, Paul Robeson, George Bernard Shaw, Einstein, Lord Beaverbrook.

The sculptor himself we see reflected in his work, his studies, his contact with artists and critics. He has a sensitiveness to music and to personalities, linked closely with his work, but almost overplayed. For his place, Mr. Epstein

MICHIGAN MURMURS

By W. J. R.

Ann Arbor, March 8—

This week we're lazy and more or less busy and we ran across something in the Michigan Daily that seems to have some point. The fellow who writes it is in our writing class and he does one of these columns twice a week. The name of his column is "The Reply Churlish" and he calls himself Touchstone. Last year he won one of the minor Hopwood awards for creative writing. This thing is not to be taken too seriously. So with the permission of Touchstone:

"Some day when I have the power and position, and am above having to swallow things I know are wrong, but can't talk much about because I am just a kid who can't play football and hasn't got much money and practically no political status, I shall go to work on what is wrong with universities (please note, lower case, to be taken as a generality). There are a great many abuses prevalent in these centers of learning which would be considered intolerable in almost any other walk of life. Students who are expected to conduct themselves as men and women of reason, mature individuals, are obliged to swallow more crude, small bits of tyranny than ever gets into the mellow old reminiscences about the alma mater. No, for the sake of the record, I have not lately been involved in such an affair. There is a tendency among certain of the teaching gentry which causes me to insert this aside. One sarcastic old gent wrote in after my column on staying up all night, and scornfully pitied 'poor Touchstone,' who didn't do his work when he should have. Which can not only be refuted by my grades card and record before finals,

chooses the highest plane, the most lofty conception of the artist, and from this height he looks down with a strange mingling of condescension and bewilderment at the public reaction to his sculpture. Rather too much he identifies himself with the masters of his craft, a habit, perhaps unintentional, but no doubt seeming impertinent to his critics.

In conclusion Mr. Epstein gives his estimate of the position of the artist today, attacking bitterly the attitude of the newspapermen and dealers, who, he forgets, must also earn a living. He surveys the modern field of sculpture and ventures an opinion, finally defining his place in the whole,—fairly modestly, let it be said.

If at first Mr. Epstein seems too smug, too much the one who withdraws the magic curtain to reveal the artist, as he warms to his task of presenting himself we cannot help feeling a sincerity under this presentation and a faith in his work that urges him to put before us every document of his case. As he himself concludes—"I have enjoyed myself at work—sculpture, drawing, painting... and I have had the opportunity to create a body of work of which, taking all in all I am not ashamed."

—J. W.

CORN BREAD AND CREEK WATER: The Landscape of Rural Poverty, by Charles Morrow Wilson; New York, Holt, 1940; pp. 283; \$3.50.

In "Corn Bread and Creek Water," Charles Morrow Wilson gives us a sane and comprehensive view of present-day rural poverty in the United States, its causes and some suggestions for its alleviation. The author believes that there is no cure-all for this malady. Nevertheless, "If rural poverty is unavoidable, rural penance, social starvation, serious physical malnutrition are and must be avoidable."

Having served as an agricultural reporter for some years, Mr. Wilson knows the life and problems of the many and varied rural groups in the United States, from the Maine lumbermen and southern sharecroppers to the Navajo Indians and ranchers of the west. Some other related books by the same author are "Roots of America," "Country Living" and "America at Work."

Among the chief causes of the present state of poverty cited was the indiscriminate cutting of forests followed by one-crop farming systems. The booms and depressions after the World War all took their toll of the soil. "Men ravished the soil in order to profit from high prices, for crops. Men continued to ravish in order to live from excessively low prices for crops." The author advocates a back-to-the-land movement. He believes that once the soil is broken overpopulation of land is better than underpopulation.

The New Deal for agriculture and its attempts to impose an artificial economy of scarcity come in for much severe criticism here, as well as the government rural relief system. The government's treatment of the Taos and Navajo Indians is also censured. Although Mr. Wilson does not agree with the policies of Henry Wallace, past-secretary of agriculture, and his colleagues, he commends them for realizing the need for action and for their gallantry in fighting on in the face of such overwhelming odds.

Many suggestions are offered for the improvement of rural education along both agricultural and cultural lines. Lessons by radio are advocated. New methods and varieties of farming are suggested as an aid to soil conservation such as wild-life farming, which in the opinion of the author, is a coming rural industry. It is his belief that cooperative advertising can do much for American agriculture.

In "Corn Bread and Creek Water" a broad and difficult subject has been dealt with very efficiently. It is perhaps not entirely sufficient, but, as Mr. Wilson states, "the only truly sufficient book on rural poverty will never be written with ink on paper. It will be written with human blood and sweat on the faces of innumerable growing fields. This statement does not mean that the author is pessimistic in his views. He believes that agriculture, as a way of living can once more be restored to a position of solvency and dignity. What America needs, in his opinion, is a mental readjustment and a realization of the new frontiers of mind and spirit which challenge her.

Significant statistics, along with appropriate photographs and a style which is concise and to the point make this book extremely readable for anyone who is interested in the economic and social problems of rural life. —I.M.E.

Not About Men

By H.B.

It's hard to say goodbye to something you've known for four years and known very well at that. Goodbyes are always very final and definite, and as far ahead as we can see nothing looks final and definite. In the first three years at College, it was always comforting to know that next year was College again. You didn't have to look too far into the future; somehow the next year of your life was taken care of. There would be College to fill that year; there would be classes, the Daily, the Redpath, various clubs and everything else that made up College life. With a cap and gown and degree but two months away, you seem to get a different perspective on things. The next year of your life isn't so well taken care of. You become aware that you're saying good-bye to something that is past, and are looking to the future with a sense of what is to be known. . . .

The Past in Review.

But what of the past? The first three years went by so quickly, you hardly know what had happened. Then came the last year—you seemed more aware of that. During the first three years a lot of good people disappeared from sight. You often asked and heard asked—"What has become of so-and-so?" Wonder what he's doing now? New faces began to appear around the Daily office. Only one or two of the original reporters with whom you started in first year remained. Gradually you took on an air of knowing and before you knew it you were put in a responsible position, and you were telling green reporters things that used to make your eyes open wide. You began writing a weekly column and before you knew it you were in it and there was no turning back. As regular as clock-work that column had to appear—little matter whether or not your heart was in it. What of that column? What of its contents? . . .

1940-41 in Retrospect.

On the whole it looked like a pretty good year for the co-eds. They started it off right by demanding entrance to the Political Economy Club, the only club on the campus excluding them from membership. It was a lost cause, but as Mr. Smith said on his way to Washington, they're the only causes worth fighting for. It aroused interest and discussion at the time, and that's always good. Then they played a part in the War Program of the University. Most of them received their St. John's Ambulance Certificate. A lot of them found themselves in important positions on the Campus. The increase of women on the "Daily" was noted and approved (at least by them). Fashion was by no means forgotten, and the co-eds proved their worth as mannequins at a fashion show. What of the future for the co-eds? Time marches on. . . .

The Future; and Farewell.

Next year a new crop of co-eds will enter McGill, freshies move up one, and the whole thing starts all over again. The women's editor will find herself with a women's column on her hands, and a weekly deadline to meet. She'll have to keep her eye on a group of co-ed reporters, she'll have to stay awake to what the women are doing on the Campus, and she'll have to follow the fashion trends. This is just a way of ours to show what we should have done, but what we didn't do. Deviations are fun, and that's what our column consisted of, for the most part.

Enough of this though. Farewells have to be made and it's no use postponing it indefinitely. As far as we know we're saying good-bye not only to a small selective group who read our column (and very small at that), but also to Daily life and all it's meant to us for the past four years. It's been good—that's all we need to say. . . .

Music Notes

Henrietta Schumann with McGill Players

The talented young Russian-American pianist, Henrietta Schumann will be the guest artist at next Friday evening's closing chamber music recital in the Festivals-sponsored series featuring the McGill String Quartet. With the McGill players, all of whom are connected with the Faculty of Music, Miss Schumann will play the Piano Quintet in C minor by the contemporary Hungarian composer, Erno von Dohnanyi. Messrs. Broth, Sherrard, Kondaks and Beland will be heard also in the A major Quartet by the Soviet composer Reinhold Gliere and in the A minor Quartet, opus 29, by Franz Schubert.

Beecham Announces Festival Program
Intimation that this year's June Festivals might prove the most brilliant series of concerts ever (Continued on Page Four).



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THE FORGE.

Editor, McGill Daily.

Dear Sir:

If, as I understand it, the Daily is supposed to present logical, intelligent criticisms of the various creative student endeavors on the campus, I certainly feel that it departed from its policy in the review the "Forge" was given. The "Forge" represents a great deal of honest work both on the part of the editorial board and the contributors and it has a definite and an important place among student activities. As such, it is certainly entitled to a review which is not completely biased in its point of view, and which at least gives evidence of sincerity and maturity of thought on the part of the reviewer.

MARY MARGARET MILLER, Arts II.

WITHDRAWAL.

Mr. G. H. Fletcher, McGill Union, Montreal.

Dear Mr. Fletcher:

I herewith wish to notify you that I am withdrawing my nomination to the position of vice-president to the Debating Union Society.

Sincerely yours,
ERNEST SKUTZKY.

Re Criticism

Editor, McGill Daily.

Dear Sir,—

Yesterday a criticism of "The Forge" appeared in the Daily. We, the Editorial Board of the magazine in question, read this criticism with great interest. We read it and accepted its judgment to some extent. We did feel, however, that there were some certain points upon which the criticism fell down.

In the first place, we felt that the word "incomprehensibility" which was applied to "many of the writers" was used ill-advisedly. And the example which the writer picked to illustrate the point was surprising. "A Sum in Addition," not only starts in a straightforward fashion but, we feel, ends in the same way. The symbolism is essentially simple because it is the reaction of a simple woman. It is a mistake to attach

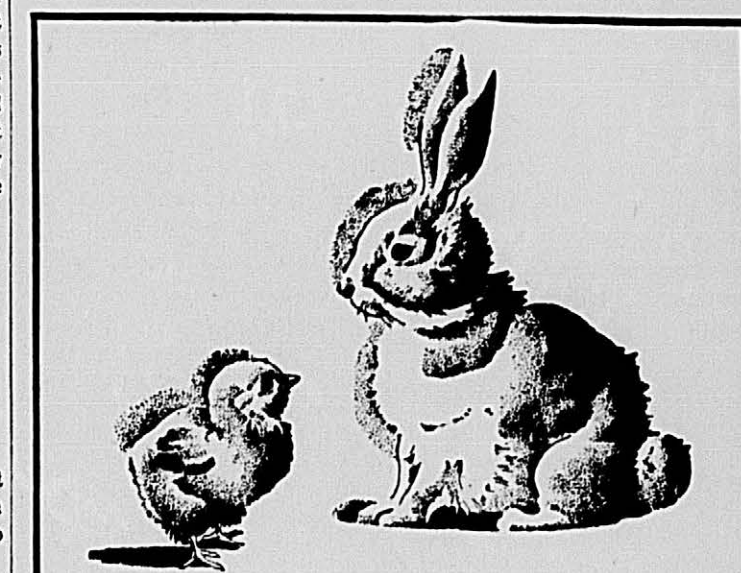
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McGILL DEBATING UNION SOCIETY ELECTIONS

on

MARCH 13th

in the

BALL ROOM of the MCGILL UNION
5.00 P.M.

PRESIDENT — VICE-PRESIDENT
FOUR MEMBERS OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE

B Coy. Take Indoor Track Lead — Face E Coy. in Hockey Final

Intercompany Meet To Finish Tomorrow Night

A Co'y Takes Second Place After Initial Races

Last night saw the first half of the Intercompany indoor track meet get underway to a fine start at the Sir Arthur Currie Memorial Gymnasium as B Company led the way to pile up a large lead over their nearest rivals from A Company.

The medicine ball throw was the feature of last night's meet and proved quite a fascination for those who entered. This was the first time that most of the competitors had tried this form of sport and the large field that entered showed considerable ability. Donald Dodds led the large list of entrants with a throw of 45' 5 1/2" which was over three feet farther than his nearest rival.

B Company garnered a total of 16 1/2 points in the medicine ball throw, thus piling up a lead in the first event which they never lost. C Company and the Engineers from E Company failed to place any men in the first ten of this event and thereby lost valuable points toward the final standing.

BOURNE STARS

The 50 yard dash was run off in two heats with Maurice Bourne setting a startling pace in the first heat and again in the finals to capture top honours. The second heat of the race was featured by a close, camera finish between Ian Ross and Paul Martel with Ian Ross nosing his opponent over the tape. Paul Martel turned the tables in the final, however, to lead Ross across the line and place second in the final standing.

Capturing first, fifth and eighth positions C Company topped the company totals for the dash with a total of 9 1/2 points. B and E Company finished second and third successively in the sprint down the gym.

PERCIVAL TAKES JUMP

The running high jump was a duel between Walter Percival and Bill Leslie both of whom cleared the 5' 6" mark with Percival winning out on a basis of the least number of tries.

Three heats were run off in the 440 yds. to complete the first half of the Intercompany meet. Glenn Cowan led the large field in this event with a fast time of 50 seconds around the course, thus crossing the finish line nearly four seconds ahead of his nearest rival.

MEET CLOSES TOMORROW

Coach Van Wagner was pleased with the results of this first indoor meet at McGill and hopes for a large turnout for tomorrow's events to complete the company meet. The highlight of tomorrow's races will be the Intercompany relay and it is hoped that every company will field a strong team.

Following is a complete list of the results of yesterday's events:

Medicine Ball Throw: Dodds, B Company; Mowat, A Company; Connolly, A Company; Crutchfield, B Company; Fainstat, B Company; Percival, B Company; Zalkind, B Company; Ross, A Company; Collier, D Company; Landry, B Company.

Total Points: B Company, 16 1/2; A Company, 10; D Company, 1.

50 Yard Dash: Bourne, C Company; Martel, E Company; Ross, A Company; Dodds, B Company; Horning, C Company; Crutchfield, B Company; Collier, D Company; Fraser, C Company; Remillard, E Company.

Total Points: C Company, 8 1/2; B Company, 6; E Company, 5 1/2; A Company, 4; D Company, 2.

Running High Jump: Percival, B Company; Leslie, E Company; Stevenson, A Company; Crutchfield, B Company; Cowan, C Company; Ross, A Company; Dodds, B Company; Martel, E Company; Collier, D Company.

Total Points: B Company, 10 1/2; A Company, 6 1/2; E Company, 6; C Company, 4; B Company, 2 1/2.

Complete Totals: B Company, 26 1/2; A Company, 26; C Company, 24 1/2; E Company, 15 1/2; D Company, 7.

Around the Oval

By W.Y.C.

Last night's Intercompany Indoor Track Meet was a history making affair at McGill being the first meet of its kind in the new gymnasium and the results seem to warrant many more such events in the future. Coach Van Wagner was extremely pleased with the results although a lack of entries handicapped several companies in the final standings.

The medicine ball throwing was quite an innovation at McGill and the competitors responded well to make this event a success. Donald Dodds was far in front in the final count with a throw of 45' 5 1/2", although several other competitors made a fine showing for the first attempt at this event.

Maurice Bourne showed an amazing burst of speed in the 50 yd. dash to take the event by a large margin. In the second heat of this event Martel made a fine showing to come up from behind to force Ross to give everything in a desperate dash for the string. Although Martel failed to pass Ross in the initial heat he continued his determined effort in the final and nosed in to second position.

Probably the most interesting feature of yesterday's meet was the spectacular showing of Walter Percival in the running high jump. He showed fine form to clear every mark up to the 5' 8" height without a falter. Bill Leslie, however, stuck right with him right up to the finish and it was necessary to take into account the number of failures before determining the winner with Leslie losing out due to one poor jump.

Due to the new doors and other material around the sides of the gym it was necessary to cut down the 440 yards to 390. In this event Glenn Cowan showed his usual fine form to lead the large field by a considerable margin while showing a steady fast pace right from the starting gun.

Tomorrow's Intercompany relay race should be an interesting affair with each Company entering four men each of whom are to run one lap. A large turnout should come out tomorrow at 6:00 p.m. to enter the four events scheduled to complete the meet.

FROSH CAGERS WIN OVERTIME CONTEST

C Company Goes Down Fighting in Close Battle

Intercompany basketball is proving to be the proverbial old knock-down, drag-out kind these days. Last night it took overtime play to break a deadlock between the C company science students and a spirited lot of frosh representing D Company. Youth again took precedence over the older adversary, and the freshmen outlasted their heavier opponents to win by a 21 to 15 count.

SEE-SAW AFFAIR

Play was rough throughout, but tempers never flared, and the extra session saw both teams virtually staggering. The score see-sawed back and forth throughout the game. There was actually never more than two points separating the teams during regulation time. With two minutes to go and the frosh leading by a single field goal, C company came up with a clever bit of strategy. A complete set of substitutes were sent in to give the regulars a breather. The subs succeeded in holding the weary frosh scoreless for a minute of play. Then the regulars were sent back with a minute remaining. They immediately scored the tying basket, to send the contest into overtime.

FROSH GO AHEAD

Early in the extra frame the freshmen countered what proved to be the winning basket on a beautiful long toss from just past the centre of the court. The frantic scientists put on their waning power but the youngsters twice broke clear to sink clinching baskets and down their game but spent opponents. Levitan shot one basket an instant after the whistle

Doug Mann Achieves Ambition Wished by All Eastern Skiers

Doug Mann is quite a skier. He is somewhat of a persistent battler too. In the sport of the thin blades McGill teams have had rather little in the way of crowning achievements this year. Of course the wartime athletic set up has been rather adverse to the development of crack ski aggregations at this university during the season that is fast drawing to its close—that cannot be denied. Recent meets have the redmen bow to neighbor colleges to the south, both in strange and in local environments. Well, to cut a long story short, dauntless Doug has battled right on in the face of the several discouragements that have visited McGill skiers this year, and last Saturday won the reward that he deserved. Of course, it is already common knowledge that as the result of his glittering performance at Mont Tremblant over the past week-end, Doug is holder of the Quebec Kandahar Championship for 1941.



Last night the new champion gave us a few of his impressions of the year's skiing. Saturday found Mont Tremblant in rather icy condition. However snow was spread over the course, and after it had been packed, gave a very fast surface for the events, according to Doug. He showed modesty in admitting that a winner must carry a certain amount of luck but insisted that, in his opinion, the prime factor leading to his success was the careful and efficient coaching that he had received during the Christmas holidays from the well-known ski coach, Herman Gagner. Doug expressed admiration for Johnny Fripp, who set a new record in leading the entire field in the same meet. However, Fripp is a professional (FIS), and was therefore ineligible for the trophy which Mann won. Actually Doug posted the second best combined times of the meet, thereby leading many other FIS men.

Doug Mann is now in his last year of Commerce, and so McGill will lose him at the finish of the college year. He has no definite plans for competitive skiing next year, and stated that he would probably settle down to simply pleasure skiing henceforth. However, we have heard words such as these so often before from top-notch athletes who didn't quit for many a day thereafter, and we have a feeling somehow that when next winter brings back the lure to the starter's gun, Doug will find it an irresistible call.

In any event, we salute a worthy champion. Congratulations, Doug.

INTRAMURAL

INTER-COMPANY HOCKEY PLAY-OFF SERIES

Tuesday, March 11th.
12:30 p.m. E vs. B. Final game.
(Total goals to count).

WATER POLO LEAGUE FINALS

Wednesday, March 12th, 5:30 p.m.
E Company vs. D Company.
Total goals to count.

INTER-COMPANY INDOOR TRACK MEET

Best ten in each event will score for their company. All companies should have three or more men entered in each event.

EVENTS

- 6 p.m., Wednesday, March 12th.
- No. 5. 50 Yards Hurdles
- " 6. One Mile
- " 7. Standing Broad Jump
- " 8. Relay (4 men each to run one lap.)

INTER-COMPANY BASKETBALL

Tuesday, March 11th.
6:00 p.m. E vs. B Mac Reilly
Friday, March 14th.
5:10 p.m. C vs. A. Bert Holdredge
5:10 p.m. D vs. F. Gerry Leonards
Saturday, March 15th.
3:00 p.m. Ind. vs. MacD. at Ste. Anne.

SKIING INSTRUCTION

Wednesdays, 5:00 to 6:00 p.m. at Cartier's Monument.
Thursdays, 6:15 to 7:15 p.m. at Cartier's Monument.
Fridays, 5:00 to 6:00 p.m. at Cartier's Monument.

Instructor: Fred Urquhart.
All who wish elementary instruction are welcome.
Skis may be left with locker room attendant so skiers may change at gym.

Here is your opportunity, better take advantage of it while snow lasts. Even one or two lessons will prove a great help.

BADMINTON TOURNAMENT

McGill open Singles and Doubles badminton championships to be conducted Tuesday, March 11th, 7:30 p.m.
Points will be scored for each match played.
ENTER NOW. Entry sheets on notice boards in Gymnasium.

LEARN TO SWIM CAMPAIGN

The last learn to swim class of the year has just been organized and will commence this Friday at the K. of C. Pool at 5:30 p.m. There will be two periods per week and the course will be conducted for about four or five weeks only. The two days will be Tuesdays and Fridays and the time will be 5:30 p.m.

Students who signed the list in the locker room are asked to report to the first class and to make it a point to attend regularly. The classes are open to all students regardless of whether they have signed up or not.

BASKETBALL FREE THROW FINALS

5:15 to 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 11th.
5:15 p.m. Wednesday, March 12th.

The following men still have to make second 25 throws:

Hardwick	Ford
Asch	Leonards
Finlay	Kingston
Culley	Smith
Landry	Schuller
Freeman	Magor
Hershman	Aalkind
Harley	Owens
Holdridge	Groves

had sounded on two occasions in the overtime, but neither counted for a point.

The lineups and scorers:
D Company: Schacter 6, Korman 5, Lockhead 4, Mantall 3, Chin 3.

Intercompany Champions To Be Determined Today

M.W.S.A.A. Awards

Following is a list of the awards to be presented at the M.W.S.A.A. meeting today:

SENIOR M

Archery: B. Amory, B. Scarth, G. Bean, M. Norris, T. Smith, P. Wadsworth, F. Wales, M. Rossiter.
Swimming: M. McKay, R. Burgess, M. Holden, L. Currie, E. Markham, M. Rossiter.

JUNIOR M

Archery: R. Burgess, P. Horn, G. Bean, P. Wadsworth, M. Norris, T. Smith.

Hockey: M. Baty, J. Shaw, E. McGowan, S. Wilson, R. Castle, M. Savage, P. Francis, N. Taylor, L. Cochrane, G. Geiger, M. Graham. Badminton: M. Mathews, K. Durrell, L. Redmond, B. Mercer, M. Dick.

Basketball: P. Power, J. Meyer, P. Lyndale, M. Dakin, N. Drury, M. Baty, J. Shaw, C. Geiger, M. Nutter, B. Reilly, K. Anastas, M. Rossiter.

Skiing: S. Grove, B. Smith, F. McLeod, J. Anderson.

MANAGER'S M

G. Bean, M. Dick, P. Power, J. Tellier, M. McKay, M. Pettis, M. van Reet, M. Baty, P. Tyndale, B. Brodie, J. Patterson, S. Grove, D. A. Ray.

SECTION R

M. Brennan, J. Mitchell, G. Beatty, D. Stanier, B. Reilly, B. Piteairn, B. Smith, M. Townsend, L. Cochrane, N. Taylor.

SMALL D-DANCING

R. Mallory, J. Tellier, B. Levine, F. Wales, N. Burgess, C. Grier, J. Anderson, M. Spencer, S. Farquhar, P. Wadsworth.

SMALL S-SWIMMING

M. Holden, M. McKay, R. Burgess, H. Gilmour, E. Elder.

SMALL B-BASKETBALL

B. Amory, P. Wadsworth, D. Koch, B. Brodie, P. Tyndale, N. Robinson, K. Anastas, M. Rossiter.

The following girls are also winning awards: N. Robinson, E. Russell, R. Spinney, W. Fairhead, M. Rossiter.

The winners of the ping-pong, badminton, and archery ladders will be announced in tomorrow's Daily. The winners of the Strathcona Shields will also be announced then.

Knockout Chess Tournament

The following matches are to be played in the course of the next week: Atkinson vs. Lawson; Beaton vs. Rea; Legris vs. Weldon. In addition, the winners of two matches as yet unplayed (Ayoub vs. Rose and Rossy vs. Spielberg) are to meet during this period.

Summer Session 1941

Information concerning summer school work at the following schools is available at the Registrar's Office:

Canada: Lac Ouareau French Colony.
Hawaii: University of Hawaii.
United States: Archipenko Art School, (Woodstock, N.Y.); Boston University; Colorado School of Mines; University of Minnesota; University of Oregon; Princeton University; Western Reserve University.

B Company Carries One-goal Lead Into Final

The Intercompany Hockey champions will be declared today. At 12:30 p.m., B Company will skate out with a one-goal advantage over the E Company plumbbers, by virtue of their 4 to 3 win in the first of a two-game, total-goal series, and with such a scant margin separating the teams, anything can happen—as the saying goes.

CLOSE BATTLE PROMISED

The first game was a close battle to the very last whistle, and the engineers will be out to quickly regain the single tally that hangs over their chances to walk off with the title. However, with such proven stars as Farmer, Crutchfield, Macdonald, etc., facing them, they will have more than a handful.

As the contest drew near, both teams seemed confident of taking the series, and it would be difficult indeed to pick the eventual champions. And so, may the better team win!

Probable lineups for today's final are:

B Company.	E Company.
Fyfe.....goal.....	A. Hibberd
Patricie.....defence.....	Owen
McMartin.....defence.....	Marriott
Farmer.....centre.....	Peto
Macdonald.....forward.....	J. Hibberd
Kennedy.....forward.....	Kenyon
Holden.....alternate.....	Covo
Dodds.....alternate.....	Burgess
Crutchfield.....alternate.....	Cuke

RESULTS POSTED FOR FREE THROW CONTEST

The incomplete results of the free throw contest are as follows (each result being out of a possible 50) with the companies to which the players are attached:

Minton, Ind.	38
Holdredge, Ind.	33
Goddard, B.	30
Archibald, Ind.	29
Ball, C.	27
Kilpatrick, B.	27
Morgan, A.	27



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MUSIC

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given in Canada became apparent when Sir Thomas Beecham, this Spring's conductor announced the program to be played. The orchestra will be that of Les Concerts Symphoniques de Montreal, the chorus, Les Disciples de Massenet. The Festival opens on Tuesday evening, June 10, with a performance of Bach's celebrated G minor Mass; on Thursday evening Sir Thomas is presenting the C major Symphony of Luigi Boccherini, Faure's Requiem, the Seventh Symphony of Sibelius, and the tone poem Finlandia. The concert of June 17 will be devoted in its entirety to a performance of Sir Edward Elgar's Dream of Gerontius; and on the following Thursday, an all-Mozart program made up of the D major Divertimento, No. 2, an Ave Verum, the finale from the C minor Mass, and two Symphonies: the "Jupiter," No. 41, and the Symphony No. 35 in D major, will be given.

Student Voice

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subtlety to the ending. It isn't supposed to be subtle. For the rest, M. S. W. seems to have destroyed his own accusation. He seems to have had no difficulty in understanding the "incomprehensible," and his criticisms are fair enough.

We wish that he treated the subject matter a little further, as there are other contributions which we feel are deserving of mention. No doubt lack of space prevented a further exposition and we are grateful for the encouragement given in the final paragraph.

Yours very truly,
Managing Board,
The Forge.

Editor,
McGill Daily.
Dear Sir:

As persons who had some part in calling yesterday's meeting of the Students' Society, we wish to record our feeling that the meeting was to a great extent a success. Certainly those who were present know what sort of person they will be voting for on Wednesday. It is true that the meeting was marred by bickering and discussion back and forth from across the floor, which could more profitably have been addressed to the Candidates. It is too bad, too, that some of the students present had come to the meeting looking for something "momentous" and did not consider that the discussion of the platforms was enough. We feel that the meeting was definitely worthwhile, and we hope that it has set a precedent for discussion of campus issues by McGill students with those who are going to take part in campus executives.

Sincerely,
CUTHBERT GIFFORD,
GORDON HATCHER.

McGill Daily.
Dear Sir:

We, a committee of students who initiated the request for a meeting of the Students' Society, wish to thank the general student body for their response in attending, and taking part in the discussion at the meeting which was held today.

The last pre-election attempt at a meeting of the Students' Society, which took place about ten years ago, failed to elicit such a response despite the inducement of "cokes and free cigarettes" which, we are informed, was offered. With no such inducement, the large attendance at today's meeting (more than double the required quorum), is sufficient evidence of student interest in free elections and democratic student government.

To demonstrate this interest, and to call the attention of the candidates for office to it, and to their responsibility to the students to achieve these objectives on the campus, was our sole aim, and we feel that it was successfully achieved—and that, in the face of all obstacles which were placed in our way, and all the subversive motives which have tacitly or openly been attributed to us.

We have hopes that this meeting will be followed by intelligent and unprejudiced voting at the elections, in numbers which will be more representative of majority student opinion than in the last few years, and above all, by an honest attempt on the part of the elected Executive Council to be true to their responsibility.

Sincerely,
John Karefa-Smart.

War Training
The "Health Group" (group C) of the Women's War Training Program will meet tonight at 7 o'clock in the Arts Common Room. Please bring St. John Ambulance Books with you.

CAMSI HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

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Syphilis Problem in Canada" and part of the program will consist of a motion picture on Syphilis received from the U.S. Public Health Service. Dr. Grant Fleming, Professor of Public Health at McGill and prominent in the Canadian field will present "The Social Aspects of the Problem." Dr. Alberic Marin, Syphilologist, and Professor of Dermo-Syphilology of the U. of M., who is in charge of the largest Syphilis Clinic in Montreal, will discuss "The Modern Conception of the General Evolution and Treatment of Syphilis." Considering that a recent estimate by Dr. Archambault places the number of people infected in Quebec alone at 123,000, this subject is of great importance to present and future practitioners of Canada.

Medical Care in Canada
The motion picture "The Fight for Life," based on the work of Paul deKruif and filmed in the U.S. will form the theme of the open meeting on "The Inadequacy of Medical Care in Canada," to be held at Moyse Hall, Sat., March 15th at 8.15 p.m. Dr. John R. Fraser, Prof. of Obstetrics and Gynecology at McGill, who is in constant touch with other leading centres in the world will survey the problem of Maternal Mortality in Canada.

DEBATE TRIALS ARE TOMORROW

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have to support the other side of the question.

The contest will be judged by three members of the staff, who will choose the two best debaters to vie for the trophy.

Lists have been posted in the Engineering and Arts Building, and all those interested are asked to sign these. The preliminary trials are scheduled to start at 4.00 p.m., but provision is being made for those who cannot come till 5.00 or 6.00 o'clock. The Debating Union extends an invitation to all eligible interested students to come out and compete this Wednesday afternoon.

RVC Basement Is Used As Raid Shelter

Resident Students Practice Tonight During Blackout

By K. T. H.

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shelter, which he described as "ideal and adequate for 48 hours. Stand away from stairs, doors and windows," he cautioned, "and also electric wiring and light switches and plugs." The "raid" will be a short one, and there will be no necessity for bringing mattresses or playing cards—but the rule enforced in England, of "No smoking for the first hour," will be enforced in R.V.C.

GYMKANA WILL FEATURE DISPLAY

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men's apparatus, group games, club swinging, and advanced gymnastics by members of the M.R.T.B. R.V.C. will offer women's dances, first aid and a tableau.

The demonstration is open to the general public at 50 cents per person and to the students at 25 cents. The committee for the Gymkana is as follows:

Program: Dr. A. S. Lamb, Major A. T. Field, Mr. Hay Finlay, Miss I. Munro, Miss T. Wagner, Mrs. J. Tyrell, Mr. F. M. Van Wagner, Mr. Em. Orlick, Horace Graves.

Arrangements: Geo. C. McDonald, Phyllis Buckingham.
Finance and tickets: M. E. Rosier, J. C. G. Young, R. A. Mitchell.
Decorations: M. Gaunt, R. C. Esdaille, T. Harvia, S. McNab, C. Chard.

Ushering: A. H. McKay, J. H. Graham.
Publicity: J. L. Greenwood, H. N. Lash, S. Segal.

200 STUDENTS HEAR NOMINEES

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scholarships was brought up. Candidates were asked to answer the question, "Would the candidate be

willing to approach the provincial government and ask for an extension for grants to the university to be used as scholarship funds?" Gordon Young, in reply to a question put to him as to what authority the Council had in this matter, said that the Council had no authority in this connection.

The question, nevertheless, was put to the candidates, and Graham replied by restating the point of his platform advocating a redistribution of obsolete scholarships and bursaries.

Discussion was closed temporarily to allow Henderson to summarize his platform. He restated the major planks of his platform, including his proposed effort to secure more scholarships for McGill, his advocacy of the return of inter-collegiate activities, and the establishment of a co-operative bookstore. He endorsed the war savings drive and the proposed McGill Spitfire Fund.

In reply to the question regarding scholarships, he stated his willingness to head a committee to approach the provincial government, and said he felt sure the purpose of the committee would be achieved.

Repeating to a question from the floor, Henderson stated his belief that a co-operative bookstore could be established at McGill, despite the adverse report of the Council on this matter. Cowan's opinion was that the opinion of the Council on the matter should be accepted, although he felt the question could be reopened next session if student demand was great enough.

Following a further short discussion of this subject, the meeting was adjourned.

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connection for seven years with college athletics; my experience gained as a member of the Students' Athletics Council for three years, and during my previous year on the Athletics Board; and an intimate practical knowledge acquired as Intramural Manager for two years.

Activities

Students' Representative to the Athletics Board, 1939-1940.
Students' Athletic Council, 1938-1941.

Intramural Athletics Manager, 1938-1939, 1940-1941.
Chairman Intramural Athletics Council, 1940-1941.

Referee-in-chief, Inter-Company Hockey and Softball.
English Rugby Club, 1936-1941, Manager, 1939.

McGill Daily, 1935-1939, Associate Editor (Sports), 1937-38; Sports Feature Editor, 1938-1939.

Intercompany Hockey, 1940-41, C Company.
Interfaculty Hockey, Arts 1934-1938, Medicine 1938-1940.

Intercompany Softball and Interplatoon Basketball—Independents.
Assistant-Treasurer Medical Undergraduate Society.

Oiler Society.
Vice-President of McGill Masonic Club, 1940-1941.

M. PATRICIA NEILSON

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days. Besides this meet I am in favour of holding an intercollegiate telegraph meet as well as one with city teams.

Squash, a brand new sport, which was well received by women students this year should come into the realm of competition, and have its place in the intercollegiate matches.

Golf tournaments for women have not been held before. It would take a day—two at the most—to run an intercollegiate golf tournament, and I am entirely in favour of the idea.

There are other sports in which there can be more competition, but these latter are, I think, newer and demand more emphasis.

Indoor Sports Night

Two years ago the M.W.S.A.A. ran an Indoor Sports Meet, which

involved tournaments for every type of sport. I am wholly in favour of having an "Intercollegiate Sports Night" of this kind, whereby there might be a large turnout of sections to compete against each other.

Enthusiasm in Gymnasium Classes
This year enthusiasm has been lacking in gym classes. I think that some sort of point system could be worked out, in co-operation with the Physical Education Department, by which sections could gain points for smartness of uniform, of marching, and for the way in which orders were carried out.

Strathcona Shield
Last year the grant of money given by Lord Strathcona for shields ran out. The M.W.S.A.A. carried on the responsibility. I am in favour of continuing to grant these awards to the girl in each year who wins the most points for participation in sports and inter-section competition.

Sadie Slide
This year the Annual Sadie Slide was a big success, but it was too crowded. Next year the policy of the M.W.S.A.A. should be to limit the number of tickets, and avoid overcrowding.

The other things which I should like to advocate are: a few more furnishings for the Women's Union and M.W.S.A.A. office; a gym demonstration with picked people from different sports, which would be a demonstration of what the M.W.S.A.A. is doing on the campus; and further support of the Red Wings Society in granting them money to buy the Red Wing blazers.

Activities

Interclass Basketball, 1938-39, 1939-40.
Badminton Ladder, 1938-39, 1939-40.

City and District Badminton Doubles, 1940.
R.V.C. Glee Club, 1938-39, McGill Daily reporter, 1938-39, 1939-40, Associate Editor, 1940-41.

Leonard Foundation Scholar, 1938-39, 1939-40, 1940-41.
Red Wings Society, 1939-40, 1940-41.

Freshie Reception Committee, 1940.
Third Year Athletic Representative, 1940-41.

Third Year Representative Sociological Society, 1941.

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more attractive sports to increase their popularity and thus raise athletic standards all around.

Until intercollegiate relations are resumed, I propose to organize vigorous inter-section competition and to invite the donation of trophies to be given for winning sections in each sport.

Activities

M.W.S.A.A. Treasurer, 1940-41
McGill Daily Photographer
McGill Annual Photography Editor
Camera Club Secretary, 1940-41
Second Year Sports Manager, 1939-40.

Basketball Team, 1939-40
Badminton Team, 1939-40
Hockey Team, 1938-39.

GEORGE CLARKE

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to make the gymnasium the centre of recreational activity at the University.

Opportunities should be available for all students to have instruction in golf, skiing, tennis, squash and the various other kindred sports. For this purpose, I believe that coaches should be available for the students.

If it is at all possible, I believe that intercollegiate competition should be revived, on a smaller scale, until after the war.

In closing I wish to thank all those who nominated me and if elected will serve the student body

and the University to the best of my ability.

Activities
1936-37—Freshman Football.
1937-38—Intermediate Football.
1938-39—Intermediate Football.
1939-40—Intermediate Football.
1940-41—"F" Company representative to the Intercompany Athletic Board.
1940-41—Chairman Junior Prom.
1940-41—Intercompany Hockey.

POST-WAR ERA IS CONSIDERED

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present war is a result of the unsolved economic problems of the last war.

"In these lectures I propose to deal with what sort of conditions of business we will face after the war rather than how our institutions are going to change, for the latter depends the former." This then is the important question. What sort of economic problems will face Canada at the end of this war. For this purpose we shall assume (and I am sure that everyone will agree with the assumptions) that we shall fight on until Nazism is wiped out; that we shall have a control of our destiny at the end of the war; that the war is still in its early stages.

Dr. Jackson then outlined the growth of Canadian industry, emphasizing the distinction between demand and effective demand, and then dealt with the economic condition of continental Europe and Britain after the war. "There are several possibilities for the condition of Europe at the end of the war," he stated, "but let us assume for the present that the countries will return to a normal form of government. Then there will be a huge demand for Canadian goods but not a very effective one for the countries will be extremely poor and will need capital to make them going concerns."

"Britain has a passive balance of trade," he continued, "but she had a continuous flow of income from foreign investments and transportation charges from other countries. This will not be so however after the war and consequently she will not be able to trade as in normal conditions but will have to prolong the system of foreign exchange control. We in Canada cannot therefore expect the same demand after this war as we did before the war, and we will be faced with a problem as has never been faced in the economic history of Canada."

Dr. Jackson's next lecture will be given tomorrow evening in Moyse Hall.

Daily Banquet

(Of interest to the reporters, editors and feature writers is the Daily Banquet, to be held THURSDAY, MARCH 13, at 7 p.m. This is the Annual Banquet, and marks the close of the Daily year. Those reporters whose name appear below may consider themselves invited. In case of omission in the above list, the Managing Board will be pleased to make additions on request.)

NEWS

Helen Alexander, Joan Allison, Raymond Ayoub, Joan Cassidy, Suzann Cohen, Laurabel Coleman, Joan Coulter, Lorraine Currie, Mercedes Dagenais, Mary Gentles, Nancy Gigot, Al. Glassman, Gordon Greaves, Peter Hall, Nathan Heller, Elizabeth Hillman, Margaret Hulcheson, Edith Hudson, Ernest Legris, Bruce McKenna, Barbara Mercer, Henry Morgan, William Munroe, Haakon Murray, Khayyam Paltiel, Graham Rea, Raymond Rose, Elspeth Russell, Sydney Schacter, Joan Shouldice, Lorna Simpson, Herbert Steinhilber, John Villiers, Glenfield Warner, John Weldon, Marion

Military Time-tables

Tuesday, 11th March

"C" Company				
Platoon 11	Platoon 12	Platoon 13	Platoon 14	Platoon 15
Period 1 .. SAT.	SAT.	GAS	SAT.	GAS
Period 2 .. GAS	GAS	P.T.	Drill	P.T.

"D" Company				
Platoon 16	Platoon 17	Platoon 18	Platoon 19	Platoon 20
Period 1 .. GAS	GAS	P.T.	Drill	P.T.
Period 2 .. SAT.	SAT.	GAS	SAT.	GAS

"E" Company				
Platoon 21	Platoon 22	Platoon 23	Platoon 24	Platoon 25
Period 1 .. GAS	GAS	P.T.	Drill	P.T.
Period 2 .. SAT.	SAT.	GAS	SAT.	GAS

Wednesday, 12th March

"B" Company				
Platoon 6	Platoon 7	Platoon 8	Platoon 9	Platoon 10
Period 1 .. Drill	SAT.	Drill	GAS	Drill
Period 2 .. SAT.	Drill	SAT.	P.T.	SAT.

"A" Company				
Platoon 1	Platoon 2	Platoon 3	Platoon 4	Platoon 5
Period 1 .. Drill	SAT.	Drill	GAS	Drill
Period 2 .. SAT.	Drill	SAT.	P.T.	SAT.

"F" Company				
Platoon 26	Platoon 27	Platoon 28	Platoon 29	Platoon 30
Period 1 .. Drill	SAT.	Drill	SAT.	Drill
Period 2 .. SAT.	Drill	SAT.	Drill	SAT.

Whitehouse, Brenda Wilson, Stephanie Zuperko.

SPORTS

Tommy Bishop, Allan Bloomberg, Paul Boire, Lyle Brennan, Douglas Campbell, Albert Colle, M. Chevalier, Peter Covo, Vera Davidson, John Dodds, Norman Epstein, George Harkness, Duncan Kisilensko, Robert MacIntosh, Leonard McCallum, Irene Polis, Max Schuller, Willie Segal, Robert Sinclair, Ernest Skutezky, Mel Smith, Roddick Thomas, Alan Wallace.

FEATURES

George Bourke, Neil Compton, Maurice Hecht, Helene L'Esperance, J. O. Kairow, Thomas Mulligan, Ralph Moore, Jimmy Panos, Charlie Perreault, Lou Poch, Robert Simpson, Robert K. Thompson, Marion Whitehouse, Saul Wilner.

SPORTS FEATURES

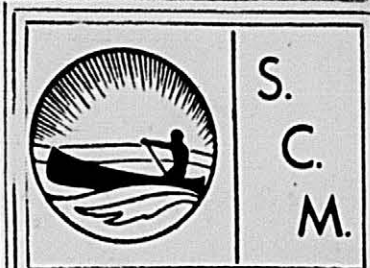
Marge Baly, Glenn Cowan, Sylvia Grove, Vernon Pope.

JAMES SPEAKS BEFORE WOMEN

Canadian Universities in War-Time Subject of Address

Military Training, Research Mentioned as University Contributions to War Effort

"A university never forgets. It is the accumulation of human knowledge and it is charged with the responsibility for distilling that heritage so that the best of what men have done upon this earth may be



Wednesday, March 12th:
5.45. Supper Meeting, Strathcona Hall. Speaker: Mrs. T. B. Hughes, on "Personal Relationships in the Home."

Monday, March 17th:
Annual Meeting of the McGill S.C.M., 8.15 p.m., Strathcona Hall.

handed on to succeeding generations," said Dr. F. Cyril James, Principal and Vice-Chancellor of McGill University in an address delivered yesterday before a meeting of the Montreal Women's Club.

Speaking on "Canadian Universities in War Time," Dr. James said it was only natural that the present war would have produced important changes in the life of all Canadian universities. He mentioned particularly the compulsory military training which all Canadian university men of British nationality must undertake. Dr. James also referred to the trial black-out currently in progress at the Royal Victoria College. "It is not a dramatic festival," he said, "but part of a carefully organized program of training." Dr. James said that the era which had a creed that 'men must fight and women must weep' has bowed to the acknowledged fact that today we are all in the front line.

Although the Principal mentioned war training projects as the most obvious changes resulting from war-time conditions, he spoke also of the research in connection with the war-effort that is progressing without benefit of publicity.

In conclusion Dr. James stated that a university is never satisfied, that this dissatisfaction leads its members to look out for the future and the part they may play in charting the course of the world. "It is for that reason that men are looking to our universities for leadership, and those who have the privilege of membership in Canadian university communities are realizing more clearly than ever before the extent of their responsibility in this regard," said Dr. James.

ELECTIONS WEDNESDAY

MARCH 12, 1941

Polling Booths as follows:

Open 9.00 A.M. to 2.00 P.M.

Faculty of Arts & Science	Men's Smoking Room, Arts Building.
School of Commerce & Theology	Men's Smoking Room, Arts Building.
All women students except Medicine, who pay the universal fee	Ladies' Common Room, Arts Building.
Women students in Medicine	will vote in their Faculty.
Faculty of Law Men students	Law Building.
Students in Engineering & Architecture	Engineering Building.
Faculty of Medicine 1st, 2nd years	Medical Building.
Students in Medicine	3rd and 4th years in Medicine, Surgery and Gynaecology at the General Hospital will vote at the Students' Smoking Room.
Students in Medicine	3rd and 4th years who are in Medicine and Surgery at the Royal Victoria Hospital and students in Obstetrics will vote at Royal Victoria Hospital Canteen.
Students in Pediatrics	Children's Memorial Hospital.
Students in Dentistry	1st and 2nd years will vote at the Medical Building.
Students in Dentistry	3rd and 4th years will vote at the Dental Clinic, General Hospital.

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Names Of All Executive Officers Must Be Handed In To Miss Heasley

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If They Are To Be Included In The Next Issue Of The HANDBOOK